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*Washington, D.C. 20535*

January 6, 2011

MR. RYAN J. REILLY  
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FOIPA Request No.: 1158325- 000  
Subject: NIELSEN, LESLIE

Dear Mr. Reilly:

The records that you have requested were previously processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act for another requester.

Enclosed are 6 pages of documents pertaining to your request and a copy of the explanation of exemptions.

You may file an appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), U.S. Department of Justice, 1425 New York Ave., NW, Suite 11050, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001. Your appeal must be received by OIP within sixty (60) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. The envelope and the letter should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so that it may be identified easily.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Hardy", is written over a horizontal line.

David M. Hardy  
Section Chief,  
Record/Information  
Dissemination Section  
Records Management Division

Enclosure(s)

## EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

### SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute(A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information ( A ) could be reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, ( B ) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, ( C ) could be reasonably expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, ( D ) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, ( E ) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or ( F ) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

### SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.

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Date: May 9, 1961

To: Director, FBI

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From: Legal Attache, Ottawa

Attention : \_\_\_\_\_

( 64-856 )

Title <b>LESLIE NIELSEN</b>	Character <b>PC - FM</b> Reference <b>No prior correspondence.</b>
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Enclosed are the following communications received from the RCMP: Original and two copies of [redacted] dated May 8, 1961, which is self-explanatory. b7D

## Remarks:

It will be appreciated if the Bureau will interview Mrs. [redacted] Bell, California, as requested by the [redacted] for any information concerning the whereabouts of captioned subject. b6 b7C b7D

## Dissemination

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

May 19, 1961

J. Edgar Hoover  
Director.

The following FBI record, NUMBER ~~none assigned~~

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
United States Immigration and Naturalization Service Los Angeles California	<p><del>Leslie William Wilson 00001400</del></p> <p><b>Description:</b> Race: white Sex: male Height: 6 feet 1 1/2 inches Weight: 185 pounds Hair: brown Eyes: blue Date and place of birth: February 11, 1906 Regina Canada Residence: in 1955 - 1622 Vincent Drive Los Angeles 46 state not given (as on print 00001400) Citizenship: Canadian Fingerprint Classification:   <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div> 4 8 9 7  8 1 5 011 </div> <div> Permanent Scar  IX 12 Reference 9  3 </div> </div> <p>Since neither fingerprints nor an identifying number which is indexed in our files accompanied your request, FBI cannot guarantee in any manner that this material concerns the individual in whom you are interested.</p> </p>	<p>applicant June 8, 1956</p>		

File

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: June 12, 1961

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (64-821)

SUBJECT: LESLIE NIELSEN  
PC - FMRe Legal Attache, Ottawa, letter to the Bureau,  
5/9/61.There is enclosed for the Bureau a letterhead  
memorandum in quintuplicate concerning the above-captioned  
individual.

Investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED]

- RUC -  
 2 - Bureau (Encs. 5)  
 1 - Los Angeles (64-821)  
 WLB:HMS  
 (3)

Ask [REDACTED] 10/3/61 b7D  
 REL [REDACTED]  
 DATE FORW. 6/15/61  
 NOW FORW. 5-15  
 BY [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Los Angeles, California

June 12, 1961

In Reply, Please Refer to  
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LESLIE NIELSEN

Mrs. [REDACTED]  
Bell, California, has had no contact with NIELSEN since  
1950.

When making application for United States  
citizenship in Los Angeles, California, on September 21,  
1956, NIELSEN indicated he was a member of the Screen  
Actors Guild. Through that source it was determined  
that NIELSEN is represented by [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Los Angeles, California.

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NIELSEN resides at 8600 Hollywood Boulevard,  
Los Angeles, California, telephone number OL 6-6012.

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**LESLIE NIELSEN**  
**PC-FM**  
**Buded 6-14-61**

Conduct requested interview and submit results in letter head memorandum in quintuplicate to reach the Bureau on or before June 14, 1961.

Cover letter of reply should show character of Police Cooperation - Foreign Miscellaneous, Attention: Liaison Section.